

PLOT SHOWS GERMAN ANIMUS

CONGRESS TO GRANT WILSON'S DEMANDS; HOUSE VOTES TODAY

Sensational Disclosure Of Attempted Intrigue
With Mexico And Japan Strengthens
Wilson's Hand.

WILL VETO ANY BILL THAT
FAILS GRANT ALL POWER ASKED

Lodge Resolution Asked For Official Copy Of
Zimmermann Note Referred To Foreign
Affairs Committed.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—The senate after an hour and half of spirited debate this morning referred to the foreign relations committee Senator Lodge's resolution calling on President Wilson to furnish it with an official copy of the Zimmermann note of Jan. 19, inviting Mexico to enter war against the United States.

JAPAN IS NO PARTY
TO GERMAN PLOT
DECLARES MEMBER
OF EMBASSY STAFF

WOULD INSTANTLY SPURN ANY
PROPOSITION LOOKING TO A
COALITION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

NO OFFICIAL STATEMENT NOW

ONLY TOKIO HAS AUTHORITY TO
FULLY DEFINE NATION'S ATTITUDE REGARDING SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURE.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—Secretary Lansing today exonerated the Japanese government from any complicity in the German plot to involve the United States in war with Japan and Mexico.

Mr. Lansing said: "We do not believe that Japan had any knowledge of this or that she would consider any proposition made by an enemy."

Secretary Lansing in discussing the Mexican angle to the plot authorized the following statement: "I am confident that Mexico would not be a party to such a plot in view of the friendly relations between this country and the de facto government. So far as a general plot is concerned, we know that it is in every way true, but we cannot make public all the details for fear of endangering the lives of our informants."

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—Establishing a precedent in diplomatic history here, the Japanese embassy this afternoon on its own initiative issued a complete flat denial that Japan under any circumstances would consider any suggestion made by Germany to enter into intrigue against the United States. A copy of all data in the amazing plot has been sent to Tokio.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—Japan would instantly spurn any proposition looking to a coalition with Mexico against the United States as suggested by Herr Zimmermann, the German foreign minister, it was stated positively at the Japanese embassy here today.

The embassy here for the time being will issue no official statement. (Continued on Page 3.)

Administration leaders declared today that the uncovering of Germany's plot to array Japan and Mexico against the United States would strengthen the president's hand in congress. The president's chances of obtaining blanket authority have increased immeasurably by the startling over-night revelations.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—A vote this afternoon on the Flood bill granting President Wilson power to arm American merchant vessels was assured when the house agreed to three hours of debate at the end of which the vote will be taken. The presence of committee members on the senate floor indicated that a favorable report on the resolution probably will be made today. All party lines were swept aside in the discussion of a German-Mexican-Japanese intrigue.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—The rules committee today paved the way for the easy passage of the Flood neutrality bill through the House by adopting a rule limiting debate on the measure to three hours.

Immediately afterwards Chairman Flood of the House foreign affairs committee, reported the bill as amended yesterday in committee. As the White House let it be known that the administration will be satisfied with nothing short of the bill reported by the senate foreign affairs committee, the Flood bill probably will be amended to conform to the senate measure.

The Senate foreign relations committee went into session on the revelations of the Mexican-Japanese-German intrigue and the problem of voting the president additional power to deal with the submarine warfare. In view of today's developments, the republican senators abandoned all filibuster, convinced that the president will be forced to call an extra session within a few weeks, anyway.

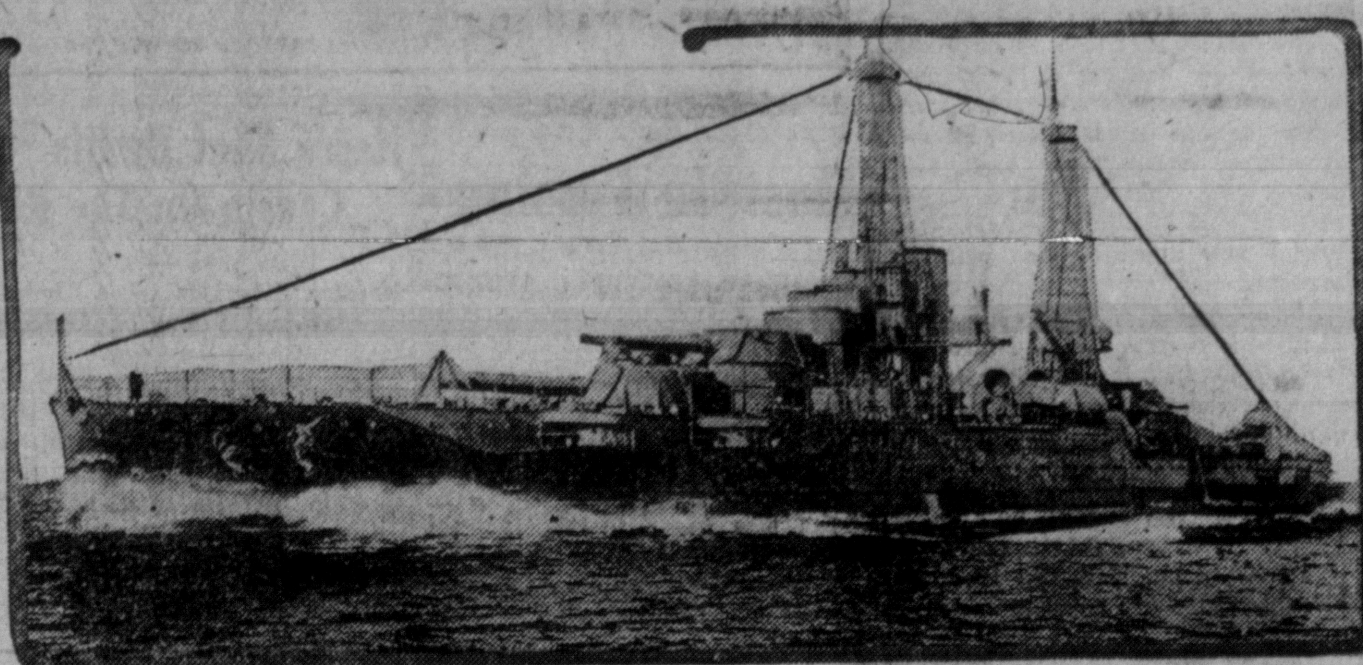
(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—The senate foreign relations committee this afternoon agreed to recommend immediate adoption of the Flood resolution, calling on the president to furnish the senate with an official copy of the Zimmermann letter of January 19.

The La Follette resolution, requesting further information as to when the American government learned of the Zimmermann note, was stricken out of the resolution.

Zimmermann Note Suggesting Coalition Between Japan, Mexico and Germany Is Officially Confirmed by President

UNITED STATES BATTLESHIP OKLAHOMA



One of the newest and most powerful superdreadnaughts in the American navy is the Oklahoma, here shown moving at top speed of 20.5 knots.

BRITISH LAUNCH FINAL ATTACK ON BAPAUME

(International News Service.)

London, March 1.—Sharp fighting, signalling the beginning of the final battle for the German stronghold of Bapaume, broke out near the outskirts of the town last night.

Following the capture of the village of Thillois, only a mile from Bapaume, British troops began pushing forward at dusk. They were immediately engaged by the Germans and fighting was spreading when the last reports were filed.

Brief dispatches today brought little information and it was difficult to determine whether a grand assault had been begun by the British or whether the blow struck last night marked the early stages of the battle. Rumors that the Germans were evacuating Bapaume were discredited by military critics.

GERMANY FINALLY ADMITS POSITIONS ARE EVACUATED

Berlin, March 1.—Evacuation of German positions on both banks of the Aisne was admitted in an official statement issued by the war office today.

BONE DRY BILL NOW SEEMS SAFE

CONFEREES AGREE ON REPORT
THAT INSURES PASSAGE
BARRING FILIBUSTER.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—Only President Wilson's veto of the prohibition bill passed last night and previously passed by the senate will prevent Washington from becoming dry November 1 next. The house passed the bill exactly as passed in the senate, even including clerical errors, so as to obviate a conference between the two houses of congress. The only ray of hope for the wets is that President Wilson may withhold his signature from the measure.

THE REED AMENDMENT

NOW SEEMS SAFE.

Washington, March 1.—Conferees on the postoffice appropriation bill late last night agreed upon a report, thus insuring, barring a possible filibuster, the passage of the Reed "bone dry" amendment barring the shipment of liquor in prohibition states.

BOARD COMMERCE TO HAVE A SMOKER

First Quarterly Membership Meeting
to be Held Tomorrow Night.

The first quarterly membership meeting of the Albany Board of Commerce since its organization will be held tomorrow night at the board's headquarters under the postoffice building, according to announcement of Secretary Archibald today. It is expected that there will be a large attendance.

The meeting will begin promptly at 8 o'clock, and ten-minute speeches will be delivered by six prominent members of the Board. Promptly at 9 o'clock refreshments will be served. This will close the program. All members of the Board are invited to be present.

One Rib Tickler Is Worth Fifty Dollars

"Iron Mask" Man Pays Half Hundred
for a Single Smile—of His Own.

T. H. La Bell, the "man of the iron mask," who offers \$50.00 to any person who can make him laugh while he stands in the windows of Twin Cities stores personifying "Gloomy Gus," will appear in Decatur Saturday instead of today, owing to the inclement weather, it was announced. He will be seen in Albany windows Friday.

Probate Office Is In Midst Of Busy Season

The probate court office in Morgan county is in the midst of its busiest season of the year. During the first three months of the year more mortgages are filed than in any other period, because of the number of "first of the year" business transactions and the number of mortgages given supply merchants and other citizens by farmers on their crops.

Decatur Council Is Scheduled To Meet

The Decatur city council is scheduled to hold its regular meeting at the city hall tonight. No special business is to be transacted. Mayor Nelson stated today, though the new light rate of the Alabama Power Company may be discussed informally by the city fathers.

NORTH ALABAMA AUTOMOBILE SHOW TO BE HELD HERE; STARTS MARCH 14

BIGGEST MOTOR EVENT IN HISTORY OF THIS SECTION TO BE STAGED AT MALONE GARAGE.

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAMS

SHOW ROOMS TO BE HANDSOMELY DECORATED AND SOUVENIRS GIVEN AWAY. FACTORY REPRESENTATIVES COMING.

March fourteenth.
March fifteenth.
March sixteenth.
March seventeenth.

The foregoing are the dates of the North Alabama Automobile Show to be held in Albany, according to the announcement today of the Malone Coal, Grain and Motor Company, promoters.

The automobile show, the first ever staged in the state outside the larger cities, is expected to be the most notable motor event of the year locally. It will bring here auto enthusiasts from all over the northern end of Alabama and will be attended by features of unusual interest.

Throughout the four days of the auto show, the show rooms, handsomely decorated for the occasion, will be enlivened by the strains of sweetest music. The musical program will be changed, daily and announcements will be made within the next few days of the various programs to be rendered.

Souvenirs will be given away. Society will attend in full force, for automobile shows have proved wherever given as much a social event as a commercial exhibit.

It is announced that a number of special factory representatives will attend the show and will demonstrate the various makes of cars. These demonstrations will prove of especial value to prospective purchasers eager to acquire a more thorough working knowledge of automobile construction. In addition, a full line of accessories will be displayed.

B. L. Malone, the promoter of the automobile show, is credited with the distinction of having promoted the first night bicycle races ever held in Alabama. He was also the first North Alabama merchant to run special trains free of charge for the benefit of prospective customers. This feat was put on some years ago while he was engaged in the furniture business. In featuring an automobile show he expects to eclipse all previous records for alertness and enterprise.

Swanson, As Administration Spokesman, Tells
Senate That Document Is Authentic.
Lansing Says Same

CARRANZA NOTIFIED THAT INTRIGUE
IS "GROSSLY UNFRIENDLY ACT"

Diabolical Scheme Was Exposed By Ambassador
Fletcher Shortly After His Arrival
At Mexican Capital.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—The state department today officially confirmed the fact that Foreign Minister Zimmermann of the German government on January 19 wrote to the German minister at Mexico City suggesting an alliance between Mexico, Japan and Germany by which they were to make war on the United States, and as payment Mexico was to get "lost territory" in New Mexico, Texas and Arizona.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—Complete and elaborate confirmation that Germany has endeavored to line up Mexico and Japan as enemies of the United States is in the hands of President Wilson. As the result representations now are being made to General Carranza at Mexico City, which may result in the withdrawal from Mexico of German diplomatic agents and possibly of the German minister to Mexico, Count Von Eckhardt.

These representations are shrouded in complete secrecy by the administration, but it is admitted that General Carranza already has been given to understand that the German plotting against the United States is a "grossly unfriendly act."

The entire international situation so far as the relations between the United States and Germany are concerned was extremely serious today. This latest manifestation of unfriendliness, complete proof of which has been gathered by the agents of the United States, reveals a plot of such wide spread ramifications and serious enmity towards the United States as to be almost unbelievable.

It is thought here that within a very short time the president will let all the facts become known.

The text of the note written by German Foreign Minister Zimmermann to Count Von Eckhardt, who was dated Jan. 19, and was sent to Mexico through Count Von Bernstorff at that time, has been in the hands of President Wilson for several days. It is not stated where it came from, but it is known that its existence was first reported to the United States by Ambassador Fletcher when he reached Mexico City to take over his duties there. It has been an open secret in official circles here that German influence and German money have been utilized to a very great extent in anti-American plotting in Cuba, Mexico and certain South American countries.

The agents of Germany have been financed from this city. What action has been taken by Germany in its endeavor to draw Japan away from its alliance with the entente and to throw its influence toward the central powers is not known.

One evidence of the depth of feeling stirred in administration circles here today over the German plotting developments was the flat announcement from sources close to the president that he will refuse to accept the bill authorizing armed neutrality as framed in the house. If such a bill should be passed by both houses he would veto it, it was said. He wants the senate bill which was framed to give him all the powers which he believes are needed to protect American shipping on the high seas passed as reported. Officials believed today that he would be able to get this legislation.

ZIMMERMANN NOTE WAS CORRECT.

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—Senator Swanson of Virginia, announced in the Senate today that he had been authorized by the president to state that the Zimmermann note of January 19, 1917, inviting Mexico to join Germany in war against the United States, as published this morning, was textually correct.

Senator Swanson's announcement was made in the Senate following introduction of a resolution by Sen. Lodge asking for the official papers in the German-Mexico-Japan intrigue immediately after the senate convened.

Copy of Instructions.

A copy of Zimmermann's instructions to Von Eckhardt, sent through Von Bernstorff, is in possession of the United States government. It is as follows:

"Berlin, January 19, 1917.
"On the first of February we intend to begin submarine warfare unrestricted. In spite of this, it is our intention to endeavor to keep neutral the United States of America.

"If this attempt is not successful, we propose an alliance on the following basis with Mexico: That we shall make war together and together make peace. We shall give general financial support, and it is understood that Mexico is to reconquer the lost territory in New Mexico, Texas and Arizona.

"You are instructed to inform the president of Mexico of the above in the greatest confidence as soon as it is certain that there will be an outbreak of war with the United States.

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30,000 GUARDSMEN UNDER QUARANTINE

ALL SOLDIERS ON BORDER ARE TO BE KEPT INDOORS TWO WEEKS.

(International News Service.)

El Paso, March 1.—National guardsmen numbering 30,000 were put under rigid quarantine today because mumps, measles, influenza, pneumonia and other infectious diseases have attacked the border camps. It will be binding for two weeks. The order, however, will not prevent the departure of guardsmen ordered back home.

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"A MAN'S CHANCE."

The diabolic cruelty and devilish ruthlessness of the sink-without-warning submarine warfare of the imperial German government was never better illustrated than in the cablegram sent President Wilson yesterday by Austin Y. Hoy of Chicago, British representative of the Sullivan Machinery Company of Chicago. In this telegram Mr. Hoy, whose mother and sister were killed when the liner Laconia was sunk, says as follows:

"I am an American citizen representing the Sullivan Machinery Company of Chicago, living abroad not as an expatriate, but for the promotion of American trade. I love the flag, believing it significant. My beloved mother and sister, passengers on the Laconia, have been foully murdered on the high seas. As an American citizen outraged and as such fully within my rights; as an American son and brother bereaved I call upon my government to preserve its citizens' self respect and save others of my country from such grief as I now feel. I am of military age and able to fight. If my country can use me against these brutal assassins I am at its call. If it stillifies my manhood and my nation by remaining passive under an outrage, I shall seek a man's chance under another flag."

Here is the case of a loyal American citizen engaged in the development of his country's trade. Stationed in London he calls his aged mother and sister to come to him. When they are almost across the ocean on their journey to their son and brother, the ship on which they were traveling is sunk IN PLAIN VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW and in utter disregard of the higher laws of humanity. The government of the United States has for an hundred years guaranteed to its citizens the right of the freedom of the seas. If at this late day the American nation intends to cease protecting its citizens, on the sea or off, let us at least give our citizens warning that we have ceased to care whether they live or die and let us serve notice on the world that we dread war worse than we dread cowardice and national dishonor. God knows we do not want war, but let us as a nation keep our self respect if we lose our lives! The man or the nation that lives without self respect is a slave.

GERMANY'S PLOT.

Germany's hand has been called. By making public correspondence that passed between the representatives of the imperial government at Mexico City and the most imperial foreign office at Berlin, with Count Von Bernstorff as the intermediary, the administration has placed the Kaiser's diplomatic forces in a position too embarrassing to be explained away. Probably it will be fought out. Furthermore—and this probably is the real reason why the correspondence was given out—the Congress of the United States is placed in possession of the full facts in framing its momentous decision regarding the bestowal of extraordinary powers upon President Wilson. The folks back home, too, are allowed to know the provocation that inspired the United States in its severance of diplomatic relations with Germany.

The voice of Von Bethmann-Hollweg, raised in the German reichstag to impeach the friendship of America, once treasured "as an heirloom handed down by Frederick the Great," is forever stifled by the proof in black and white of his damning machinations against the nation that he claimed his country loved.

Germany is shown to the world as a nation of intrigue; a nation whose destinies are controlled by arch-manipulators without character, whose protestations of friendship were blackest lies; a nation so unprincipled as to violate international courtesies and amenities. A guest in the house of America, the German ambassador was required by his home government to attempt to hire thugs and thieves to engage in the polite task of assassinating his host.

Germany's plot has failed. Mexico,

a willing tool, can be of no aid in the diabolical scheme which the crafty Hohenzollern brain conceived. Japan, capable of fidelity to an ally, will not jeopardize the interests of the entente by joining hands with the Greaser and the Kaiser.

W. J. B. PACIFIST.

William Jennings Bryan, inspired to lead the hosts of the "peace-at-any-price" advocates in the last final effort to prevent war with Germany, is treading perilously near the ground of treason in the eyes of belligerent Americans and is looked on as something of a saint with halo attached by those who consider fighting a crime. The Commoner should not be criticized. His distinguished public service and the exalted place that he occupies in the minds of all Americans relieve him of any suspicion of being in the employ of the German government. His attitude toward peace was known long before the present international crisis arose. For the sake of consistency he resigned the most important portfolio in the Wilson cabinet.

The majority of the citizens of the United States desire peace. Some of them abhor war, some fear the commercial consequences of war. However, if left to a vote there is no doubt but that the average red-blooded American does not desire "peace at any price." There are limitations to the amount that the United States will pay to be let alone. If its flag is to be humbled, its subjects murdered and its ships driven from the high seas by a government that offers no reason for its acts other than its desire to benefit itself, then the man back at home believes that the handling of affairs should be left with President Wilson. Certainly, the executive has not displayed any hot haste to plunge the republic into the world holocaust.

Let us not, however, heap anathemas upon the head of W. J. B. He is a great American, if a misguided one.

Carries Whiskey In Auto Gasoline Tank

Newman, Ga., March 1.—As W. T. Edgar came speeding through Newman in a big automobile racer he was suddenly halted by the police. One of the two large gasoline tanks on the back of the machine was found to contain corn whiskey. The liquor was confiscated and the occupants of the car arrested. Edgar had been drinking, and telephone reports of reckless driving had preceded him into Newman.

Ten Cases Tried By Mayor Nelson Today

Ten cases, tried by Mayor Nelson in Decatur police court this morning, netted the city \$95. Nine of the cases followed raids on two crap games, five being arrested in one and four in the other.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

State of Alabama, Morgan County. Probate Court, February Term, 1917. Estate of Mrs. S. F. Edmison.

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that F. A. Bloodworth is administrator of the estate of Mrs. S. F. Edmison, deceased, has filed his accounts and vouchers for the final settlement of his administration of said estate and that the 26th day of March, 1917, has been set as the day for hearing such settlement, at which time you can appear and contest said settlement.

L. P. TROUP,
Judge of Probate.

5,000,000 Corns Lifted Right Off!

Try 2 Drops of Magic "Gets-It."

There's a wonderful difference between getting rid of a corn now and the way they used to try to get rid of it only four or five years ago. "Gets-It" has revolutionized corn history. It's the only corn remedy



"See? Just 2 Drops of 'Gets-It.' Now Tomorrow I'll Just Feel That Corn Right Off—and it's Gone!"

today that acts on the new principle, not only of shriveling up the corn, but of loosening the corn off—so loose that you can lift it right off with your fingers. Put 2 drops of "Gets-It" on that corn or callus tonight. That's all. The corn is doomed sure as sunrise. No pain, or trouble, or soreness. You do away once and for all with toe-bundling bandages, toe-eating salves and irresponsible what-nots. Try it—get surprised and lose a corn. "Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. Sold in New Decatur and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Prentiss-Dillehay Drug Co. and Thompson Drug Store.

National Defense News

(International News Service.)

Chicago, March 1.—Announcement that Fort Sheridan, on the shores of Lake Michigan, would be converted at once into one of the principal military training camps of the country brought with it the picturing of the post as an American Salisbury Plain, where great numbers of raw recruits would be transformed into real soldiers, as is done at the English camp.

A permanent camp site is to be laid out at the fort, primarily for the accommodation of students at the citizens' military training camps, but admitting of expansion for the quartering of troops on a big scale in case of war or should Congress pass a compulsory service law.

Of the \$683,000 now at the disposal of department commanders for training camp sites, \$205,000 is to be used for the three sites in the Central Department under Major General Barry. These are located at Fort Sheridan, Fort Riley, Kans., and Fort Snelling, Minn.

The biggest part of the money will be used for building a permanent camp at Fort Sheridan. This will consist of a sewerage system, kitchen structures, mess halls and bath houses. The money is to be expended between now and July 1. After that date a new appropriation will be available.

Announcement of the plan goes away with reports that the fort was to be converted into a gigantic internment camp for aliens in case of war.

San Francisco, March 1.—There is a strong preparedness sentiment among the native population of Guam, according to word reaching here by army transports. A training camp for natives has been established and non-commissioned officers of the marine force stationed there are drilling the men in the manual of arms. Out of a population of 14,000, more than 600 men have enlisted for drill.

San Francisco, March 1.—Uncle Sam's youngest volunteer came to the fore today with an offer to place his baby wireless plant and precocious talent at the disposal of the government if there is need.

Everett Twombly, aged eight, of Pasadena, in a letter received here today by V. Ford Greaves, United States radio inspector, says he has a wireless plant with a radius of 600 miles, which he will gladly enroll in his country's service. Everett requests copies of the army and navy codes, that he may be prepared.

Memphis, Tenn., March 1.—A campaign to put a United States flag in every home and in and on every business house in Memphis has been started by the Daughters of the American Revolution. The flags are being sold to purchasers who wish to display them at cost. United Daughters of the Confederacy, daughters of the soldiers of Lee and Jackson, have sold thousands of flags of proper size, to be pinned on the coat lapel.

Washington, March 1.—"Once a marine always a marine," is the loyal answer of hundreds of "ex-soldiers of the sea," in response to telegrams from marine corps headquarters asking their return to the colors. Many are re-enlisting and others, who are handicapped by domestic or other responsibilities, are, for the present, doing remarkable work in obtaining of men for their old corps, according to recruiting officials.

Upwards of 10,000 trained men are discharged from our military and naval services yearly, and, under ordinary circumstances, one-third of them immediately re-enlist. Of the remaining, fully 80 per cent are eligible for re-enlistment. It is therefore estimated that the United States would have at least 150,000 trained regulars in civil life ready for duty at the first call.

Denver, Col., March 1.—In an effort to spread broadcast through the city the desire for military instruction, Adjutant General Harry P. Gamble, Colorado National Guard, and Captain W. R. Dorn, officer in charge of the free military training school, are arranging with the managers of all department stores to establish Monday classes in the stores. It is the plan of the instructors to give lectures which will familiarize workers with military hygiene, the handling of small arms and rifles and other matters of interest. Time will be arranged for drilling the classes.

PALACE CAFE
Open Until Midnight
Good Things To Eat
517 SECOND AVENUE

THOSE THAT HAVE-GET BY A.T. WESTON



Just In Passing

ANOTHER POWERFUL STORY.

The discussion in some way got around to automobiles and all of them from the Pierce Arrow down to the Ford had been talked of. The hopes and ambitions of the motorists and would-be motorists had been expressed in gasoline terms. Then they began to talk of the financial condition of a number of auto owners. That of one particularly was brought up—it was said he is worth half a million nearly, yet he drives a Ford. Just at this juncture, Earnest Walker, author of that well known "Power Watch Story" in the Passing column a few weeks ago, spoke up and said: "Why, if I had as much money as that fellow has, I would have an automobile so long you would always be looking for the 'butch boy' on it."

GOOD ADVICE.

"The story told about potatoes, that you must plant them while the moon is so and so, reminds me of an experience a friend of mine had with fish," said Dr. G. R. Sullivan. "This friend had heard the statement that certain kind of the finy tribe make excellent brain food, while others are

Negro Shot By His Cousin On The River

Houston Robertson Gives Himself Up Claiming It Was an Accident.

Carl Deamon, negro, was seriously shot by his cousin, Houston Robertson, a negro watchman at Mill No. 7, last night. Robertson gave himself up to the Decatur police later, claiming Deamon was shot accidentally during a discussion of the merits of the gun. They are cousins, it is said. The shooting occurred near the Tennessee river bank. Robertson was released a short time after surrendering.

no, so good as intellectual stimulant. He wanted nothing but the best, so he wrote to one of the government experts, asking advice. 'Please tell me which kind of fish make the best brain food,' he wrote. Within a few days he received an imposing looking letter, with the government frank on the envelope. The letter contained this admonition: 'Go eat a whale.'

Business or professional cards, printed or engraved. The Daily.

Notice to Electric Light Users

In order for users of electric lights in Decatur and Albany to avail themselves of the new ten cent rate for lights, consumers must first sign new applications for service. These applications are the same as the old ones you signed except the rate is lower. They may be signed at our office or we can send them to your home if you will phone us.

Unless you sign the new application we will be unable to give you advantage of the new ten cent rate. The new contracts mean a big saving to consumers.

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Gray May Get Trial Before Nelson Today

Special Agents of Southern Expected to Return This Afternoon.

Harold Gray, former check clerk at the Southern freight depot, may get a trial this afternoon before Mayor James A. Nelson, in connection with the alleged thefts of freight from the railroad. Gray is being held in the city jail.

Special Agents Milam and Gracey, of the Southern, who are here investigating the case, are in Huntsville today, attending court, but are expected back this afternoon. Gray's detention followed the alleged disposition of a sack of foodstuffs to a local grocer.

Calling Cards—The last word in correct stationery can be obtained from the Daily. Look our line over.

WANTS

HELP WANTED, REAL ESTATE and HOMES FOR SALE, LOST or FOUND, LOANS ETC. All Want Ads Cash in Advance.

No advertisement taken for less than 25 cents
25 words, 1 time 25c 50 words, 1 time 50c
25 words, 2 times 50c 50 words, 2 times 1.00
25 words, 1 week \$1.00 50 words, 1 week \$1.75
25 words, 1 mo. \$3.00 50 words 1 mo. \$5.00

WANTED—Set second hand buggy harness. Phone 124 Albany. 27-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all modern conveniences. Apply Mrs. W. T. Seamons, 239 Johnston street. Phone 393-w Albany. 28-3t

WANTED—\$500 for two years on \$3,000 farm; also to buy centrally located reasonable home for cash. Address Box 137, Albany. 28-3t

WANTED—Upright boiler, 5 to 10 horsepower; must be in good condition. Call Decatur 225. 28-3t

WANTED—Colored men to paint steel towers at Madison, Ala. Wages \$1.35 per day to start. Pay every two weeks. Cash advanced weekly if needed. Alabama Power Co. 1-6t

SODA FOUNTAIN FOR SALE—We will sell our 12-foot fountain and buffet for delivery about April 1. Call in to see us for price. This fountain has only been in use five years, but our business demands a larger fountain, which we have bought for April 1 delivery. Prentiss-Dillehay Drug Co., 602 Second avenue, Albany. 1-3t

MONEY TO LOAN—Build a home on easy monthly payments at small interest. Also loans on improved farms at easy rate and annual payments. W. M. Chenault, Phone Albany 487. No brokerage, no commission or exorbitant fees charged. J 30-1m

FOR SALE—Printing machinery, at a bargain. One 10x15 Chandler & Price press, one 23-inch Chandler & Price paper cutter, one Boston treadle wire stapler, one 20-inch Rosback treadle perforator; also type, stands and other printing necessities. Write to "W," care of The Albany-Decatur Daily. 10-1f

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JONQUIL TEA.

For Mrs. Martin Phelan, of Chicago, and for Mrs. M. S. Workman, who has just returned from a two years' stay in New York, Mrs. C. V. Dupont entertained at a jonquil tea Wednesday afternoon. Bowls of jonquils and potted plants added just the artistic effect. Mrs. Phelan was handsome and modern in a shell pink crepe de chine, smock girdled and pocketed with the same. Mrs. Workman was elegant in crepe de chine and diamonds, the seriousness of its shade being relieved by her own vivacious personality; collar and cuffs of white. During the afternoon ices were served. Those enjoying this delightful occasion were: Mesdames E. H. Allison, E. C. Payne, Bennett of New York, R. H. Allison, L. A. Neill, C. L. Odom, Brentz Preuit, W. R. Smith, L. B. Wyatt, L. Lund, C. E. Malone, Chas. Eyster, H. T. Gill, W. R. Shelton, R. L. Maury, Aldrich, Reid, Clarence Bodemer, R. H. Wolcott, B. B. Pickens, Alex. Humphrey, W. E. Todd, Early Phinizy, M. S. Workman, A. D. Jervis.

MATTHEWS' BIBLE CLASS.

Mrs. R. Green, president. Mrs. O. Jeffries, secretary. Mrs. Jack Jones, hostess. Mrs. Austelle's band of the Matthews' Bible class entertained with a literary tea pot social Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Jack Jones. Dolly Varden baskets of daffodils adorned the pretty reception suit, each basket decorated with shiny yellow bows of tulle. The flowers were the thoughts of friends. A "Literary Tea Pot" contest was enjoyed. Afterward a delightful program of readings by Misses Sconyers and Johnson, and vocal selections by Mesdames King and Jeffries was given. During the social hour that followed, the dining room was opened and guests invited to enter. Here Mesdames H. M. Stephens and L. J. Ramage, assisted by Mesdames Draper, Roper and Jeffries, poured tea.

BEREAN CLUB.

Mrs. W. A. Brown, president. Mrs. Rogers, secretary. Mrs. Clyde Hendrix, hostess, February 28. The Berean club assembled at the residence of Mrs. Clyde Hendrix on Wednesday afternoon to celebrate "Education Day." The motto for the day was "Instruction Ends in the School Room, but Education Ends Only With Life."

An election for program committee for 1917-18 resulted in Mesdames E. L. Grau, E. C. Steele and Clyde Hendrix being elected. Dr. Livingston T. Mays was the orator of the afternoon. His subject was "Italy and Her Poets." This was a delight from start to finish. A social hour followed the address. The dining room was opened, disclosing a table centered by a Dolly Varden basket of jonquils. Mrs. Foster H. Pointer poured coffee, assisted by Mesdames R. E. Pearson and E. D. Bailey.

MUSICAL POSTPONED.

The musical to have been given by the Epworth League has been postponed until Saturday, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

DEBUT PARTY.

This evening Mrs. George Williamson will entertain her neighbors at a rook party. The names of the debutants we will not mention, since they are rather shy.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT.

Mrs. W. R. Shelton, president. Mrs. E. E. Graves, secretary. Mrs. H. B. Heard, hostess, Mar. 2. A full meeting of the association is expected at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

CLUB CALENDAR.

Thursday. Music Study Chorus (2 o'clock)—Mrs. W. R. Shelton. D. A. R.—Mrs. H. T. Gill. Silver Tea—Mrs. J. L. Proctor.

Friday. School Improvement Association—Mrs. H. B. Beard. Ferry Street Rook Club—Mrs. Robt. Banks.

Embroidery Club, 2 p. m.—Mrs. E. N. Penick. Auction Bridge Club—Mrs. W. E. Crawford.

Saturday. Silk Stocking Club—Miss Rhea Lide.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall are now with Mr. and Mrs. Sam M. Thompson, who are moving into the Spight residence on Grant street.

The Auction Bridge club will meet with Mrs. W. E. Crawford on Friday.

Work Is Started On School Garden Plots

Preliminary work is being done toward planting their garden by the students of the two sixth grades of the Albany high school. Much of the area to be planted has been plowed and as soon as the weather clears, the seeds will be placed.

The garden will be divided into plots, two pupils to the plot. Each pupil, however, will be held accountable for his or her own section of the plot. It is probable they will be allowed to take the vegetables grown to their homes as another step toward reducing the high cost of living.

Get Ready For The Big Games

Attend the meeting of the "Howling-on-the-Green" club at the office of the Albany-DeCATUR Daily this evening at 7:30. Playing will open at an early date and the get-together meeting this evening is to prepare for the interesting contests that will be pulled off at an early date.

from your calling cards. See the line of engraved cards for men and women at the Daily office. We keep up with the styles.

JAPAN IS NO PARTY TO GERMANY'S PLOT

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ment or take any official attitude on the sensational disclosure, that being, it was stated, a matter that is entirely in the hands of the Tokio government. But the Japanese attitude in the entire matter was outlined to the International News Service by one of the high officials of the Japanese embassy here. "We don't want a minute deny the truthfulness of the charges, but we believe that the proposition was made blindly; that Herr Zimmermann struck blindly in the dark in the hope that he might strike a meeting that would give aid to these fast weakening central powers. It is German propaganda promulgated partly to inspire fear of foreign intrigue in this country and partly to hold out a straw to the people of the central powers."

PERSONALS

J. E. Boyal, traveling out of Knoxville, is very ill at his hotel here.

The Nearest Duty. Let us, so far as we can, bring wider interests to our little world. There is no more potent charm to banish the petty and unworthy from it. Wider interests open the doors into a wider world into which some day we may step. Let us work ceaselessly, patiently. No success we may win in any calling will be worth anything if we have not cultivated the power to keep all around us bright and orderly and attractive, if the light of divine love, and peace, and power, and wisdom does not radiate from us into the world and help and inspire others.—Nancy Freeman.

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SUGGESTIONS TO MOTHER

Mothers should be very careful to keep their baby's bowels well regulated, and should not use calomel and other strong purgatives in doing so. A baby, little child or even grown people are much less liable to contract contagious diseases if their livers are in a healthy condition. Lemolac, which is made from lemons and other fruit and herb juices, is the best medicine you can give your baby and children, as it acts gently but surely on their livers and is very pleasant to take.

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Funeral Services For Mrs. Flaut Tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Flaut, who died yesterday at her home on Fifth avenue, west, will be held from the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, having been postponed from today on account of the extreme inclemency of the weather. Dr. J. C. Persinger, pastor of the Central Methodist church, will be the officiating minister. Interment will be at City cemetery.

Proper Illustration.

It is a mistake, avers the Illuminating Engineer Society, to use a bright light against a dark background, and while an artistic fixture is well enough as a decoration, yet lamps which in themselves are good and suitable will not be satisfactory from a hygienic standpoint unless the fixtures are in the right position. In planning the illumination of a room it is only common sense to determine just what you are going to use that room for, and then to arrange the lighting. By doing this it should be possible for people of middle age to add years of excellent eyesight which otherwise would soon diminish. Where children of various ages are in a family the matter of artificial light is of great importance. The general health of a growing boy or girl may be seriously affected by careless lighting, especially in rooms where they read or study their lessons.

Curing Leprosy.

Some weeks ago the *Courant* mentioned that a Cuban had asserted that he had discovered a cure for leprosy and had so far impressed the Havana authorities that a commission of physicians had been appointed to investigate the matter. It now appears a leper no further away than Pennsylvania is so much improved in health that he has been released from quarantine. It is asserted that while bacilli are found in nodules on his face, his blood shows no trace of them or of the disease, and the authorities of Wilkesbarre, which have been keeping him and his family in quarantine at an expense of \$3,000 a year, have put an end to the outlay by removing the quarantine. It may be supposed that the man, Joseph Norban, will not be altogether popular at social gatherings for some time to come, but it is significant that his condition has so far improved that he is permitted to be at large. —Hartford *Courant*.

"In Rome."

Harvard and Yale men bear one another an ancient ill-natured grudge. In the stadium occurred an incident not to be minimized. A referee ended cost his career. He was actually because he failed to report to the referee when he came into the game to relieve another player. The Tigers protested vigorously, but the official was obdurate. "Humph," grunted an Eli, who had viewed Harvard's prowess with emotions not altogether amiable. "Did the referee expect Winn to speak to him on the Harvard field—without an introduction? Absurd!"

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I, T. H. LaBell, am specially engaged by the leading merchants of Albany, tomorrow, to appear in their places of business at the time stated to their name. I will stay in each place of business 20 minutes. Any one catching a smile on my face during the time will receive \$50.00 Reward by laying their hand on my shoulder and calling the merchants' names which are listed here.

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F. W. WOOLWORTH CO.
3 p. m.

POINTER & RAUSCHENBERG.
Second Avenue 3:30 p. m.

STINSON BROS.
Jewelers and Opticians 4 p. m.

S. M. WINTON.
4:30 p. m.

A. C. MANN.
The Market 5 p. m.

ALBANY CANDY KITCHEN.
6:30 p. m.

CABLE-SHELBY-BURTON PIANO CO.
7 p. m.

PEOPLES' DRUG CO.
7:30 p. m.

ELEVEN CALLS ANSWERED.

Eleven calls were answered by the Decatur fire department during February, according to the report of Chief Fox, tabulated today. It will be presented to the city at the next meeting. February was the heaviest the department has experienced in several months.

\$50.00 Reward

A gentleman will appear at J. D. THOMAS STORE between twelve and one o'clock Friday, who offers \$50.00 to any person who makes him smile.

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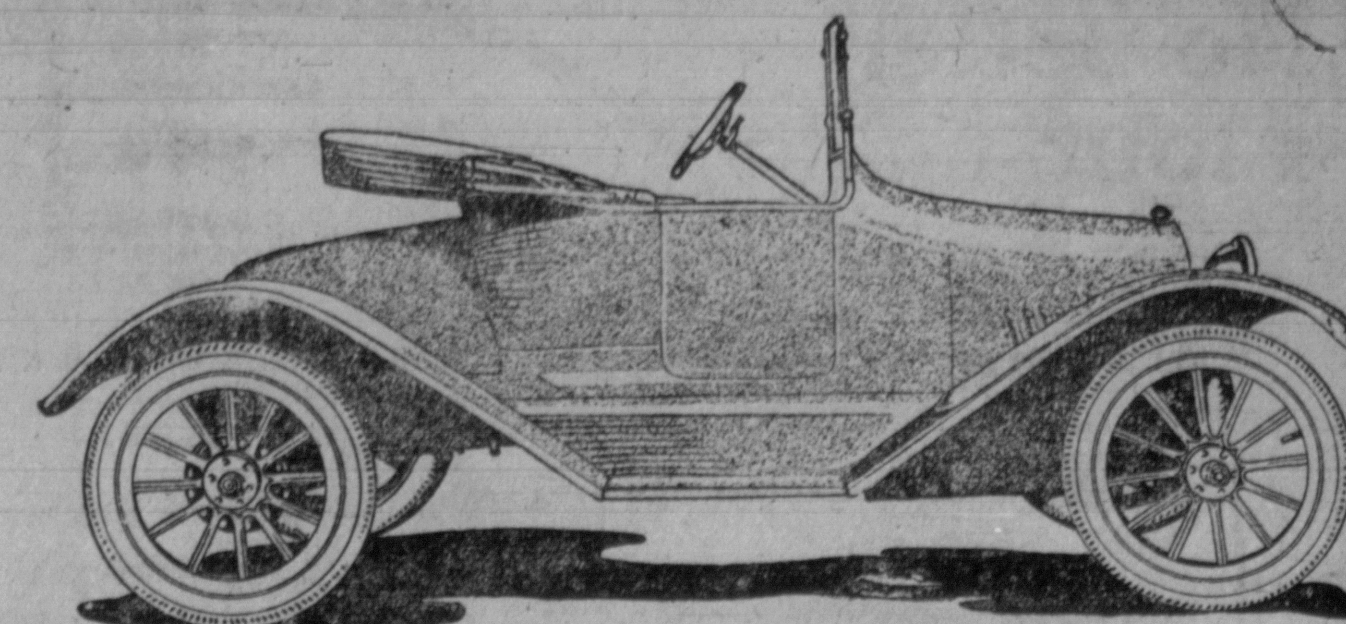
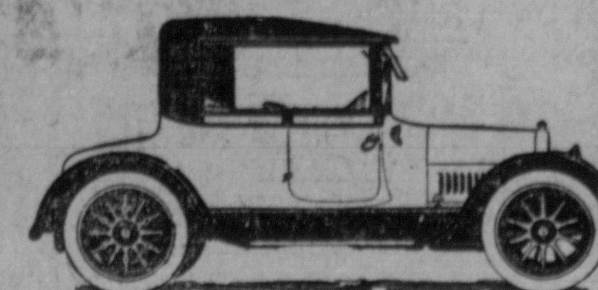
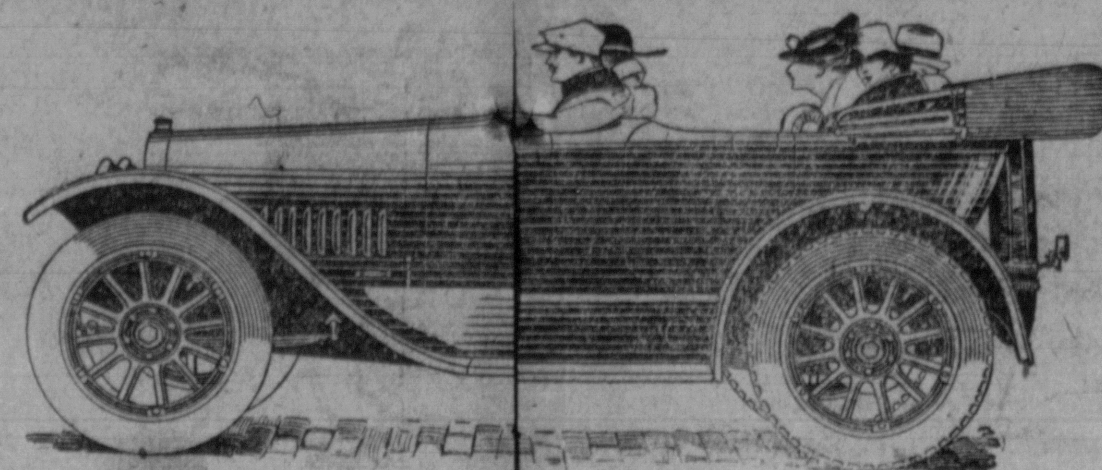
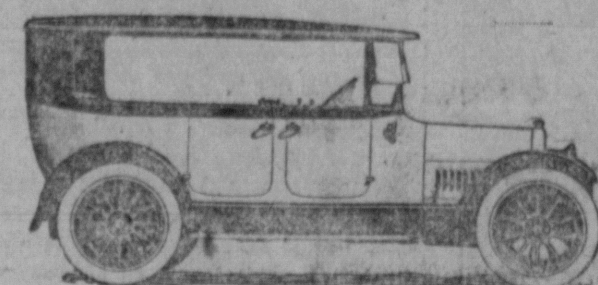
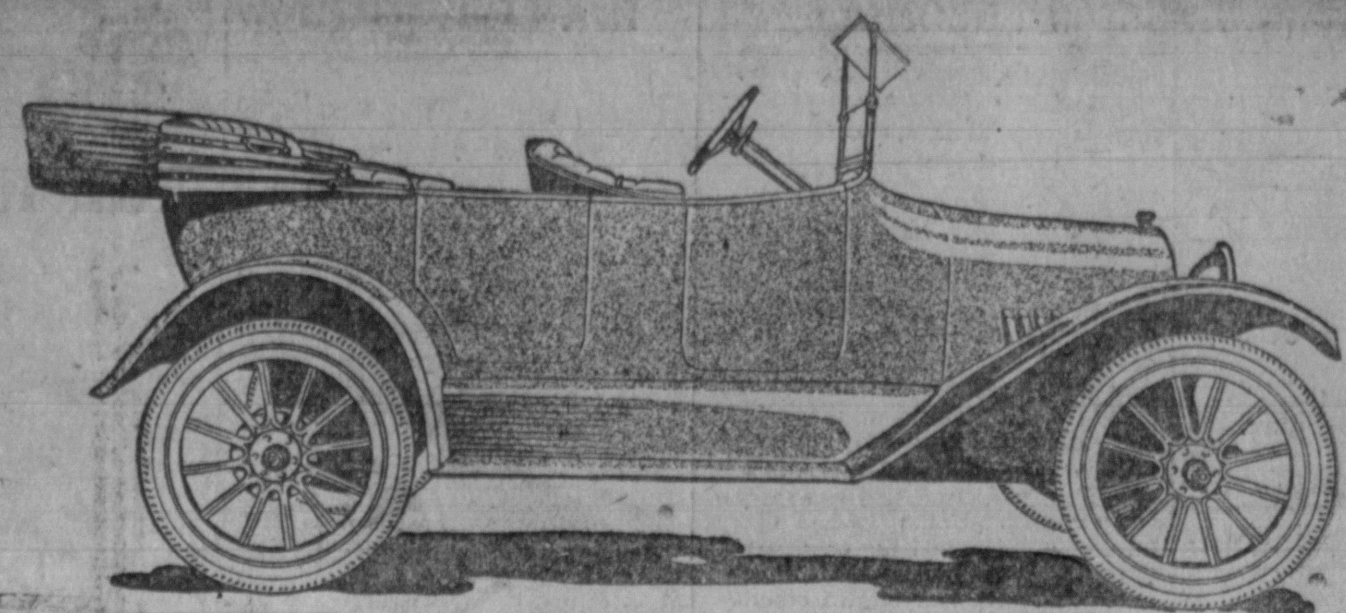
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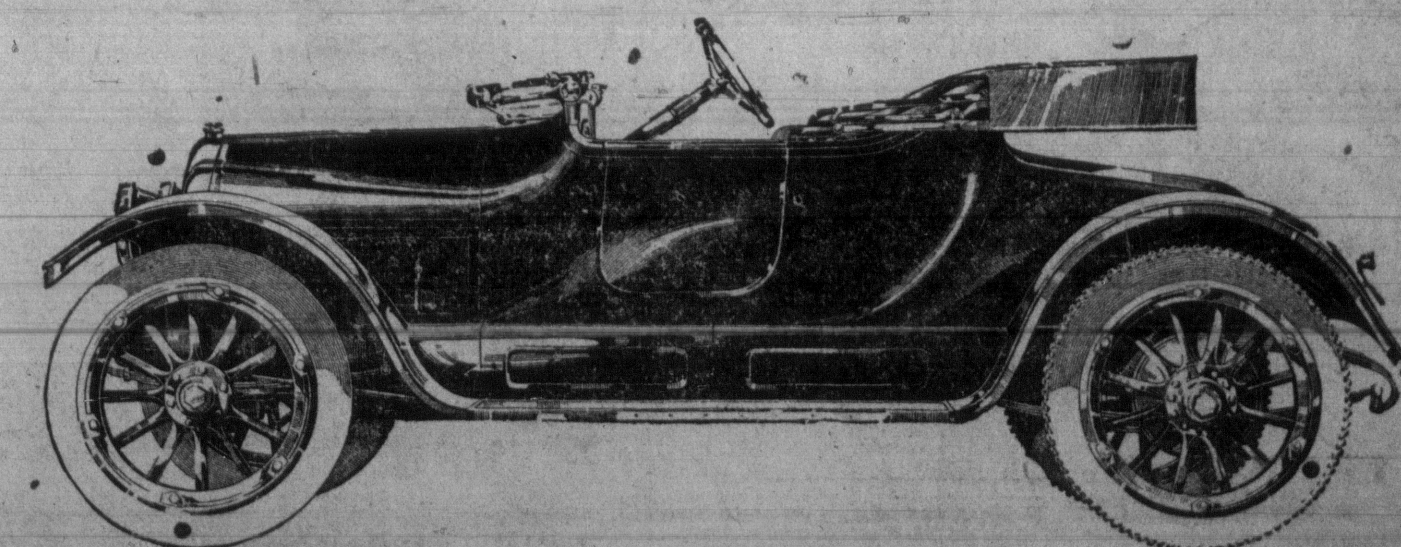
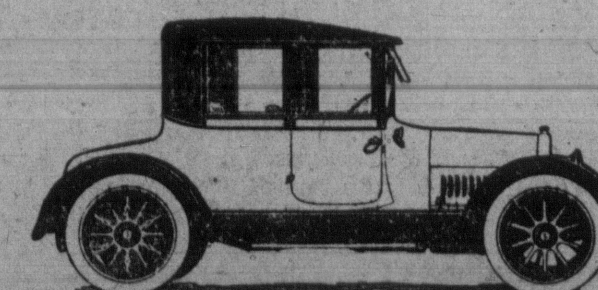
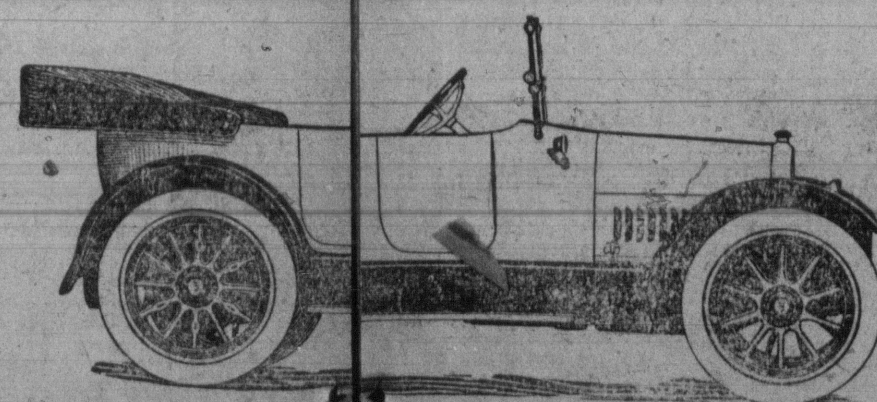
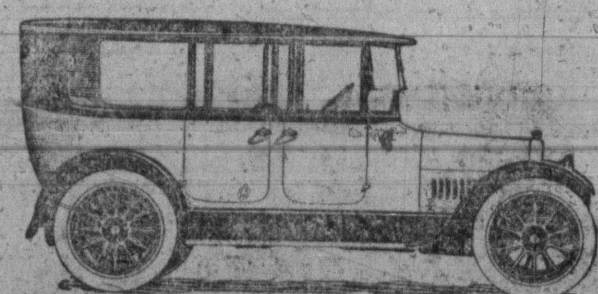
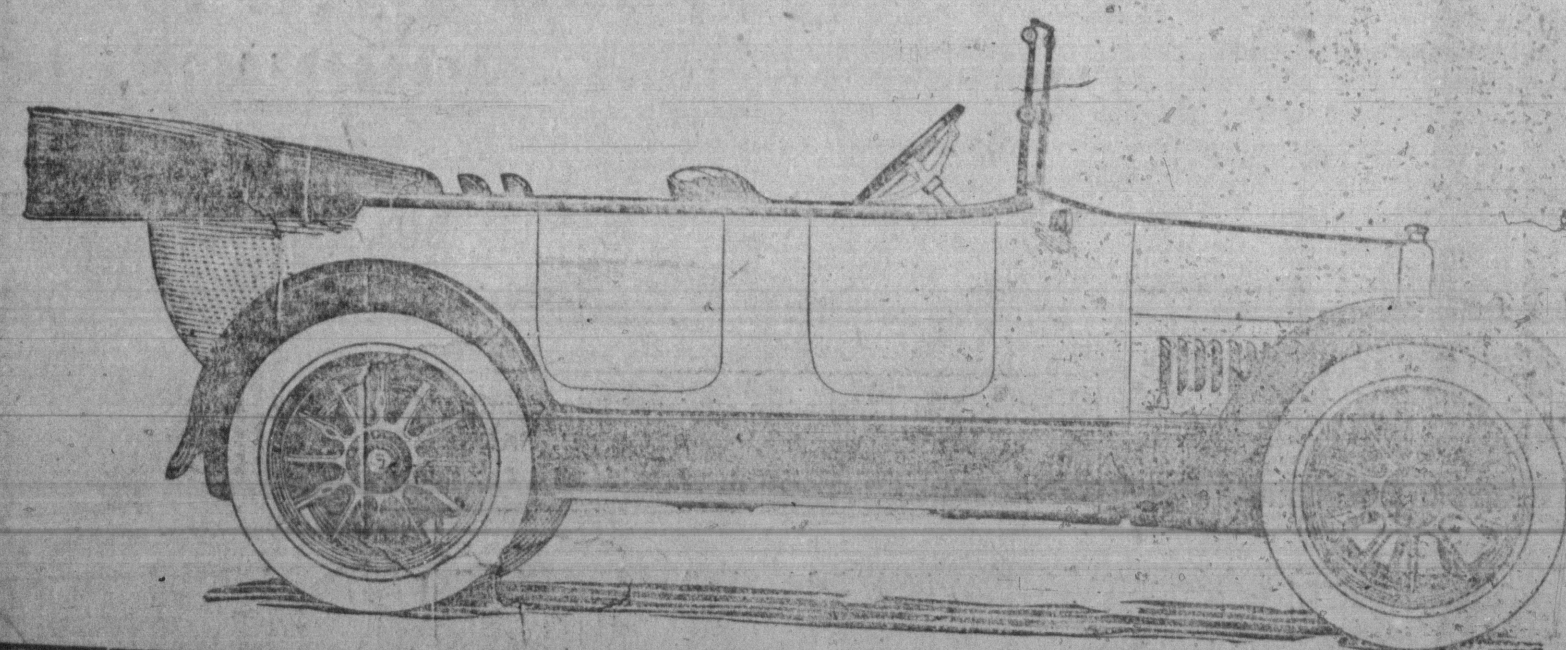
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NOTICE—MORTGAGE SALE.

State of Alabama,
Morgan County.
Under and by virtue of a mortgage executed to the undersigned, Isabella S. Payne, by J. D. Roberts and Minnie J. Roberts, on December 1, 1905, for \$550.00, conveying the property hereinafter described, the said Isabella S. Payne will, on the 24th day of March, 1917, within the hours of legal sale, at the door of the court house in Decatur, Morgan County, Alabama, offer for sale at public outcry, for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real estate situated in Albany, Morgan County, Alabama, formerly New Decatur, to-wit:
Lot Thirteen (13) Block Sixty-Three (63), Addition Four (4), of the Decatur Land Improvement and Furniture Company to Decatur, Alabama.
Witness my hand this 20th day of February, 1917.
ISABELLA S. PAYNE.
By E. W. GODBEE, Attorney.
F 21-28 M 7.

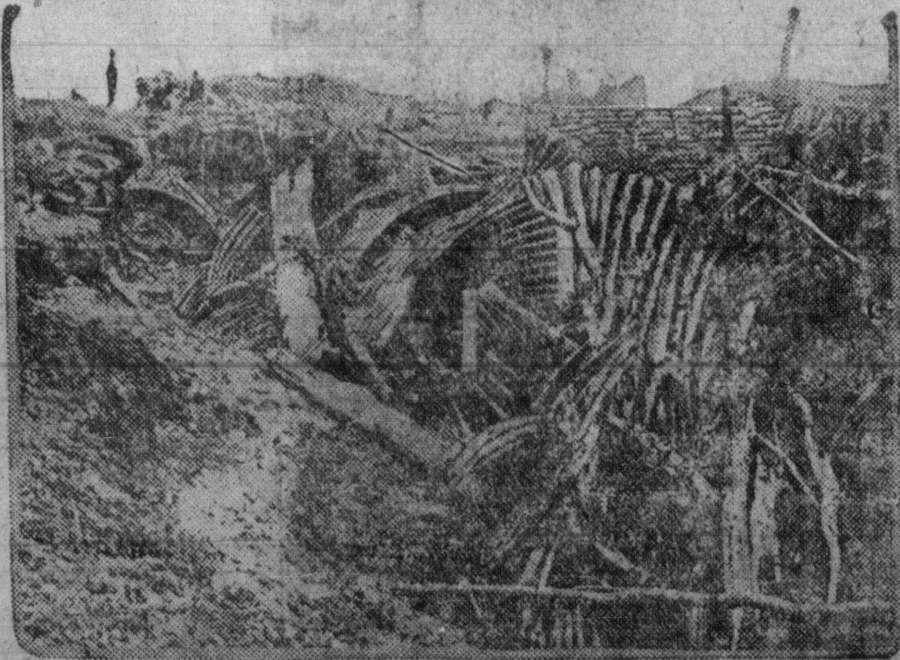
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF

ADMINISTRATRIX.
E. C. Rasch, Deceased, Estate of.
Probate Court, Morgan County.
Letters of administration upon the estate (or letters testamentary under the last will and testament) of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of February, 1917, by the Hon. L. P. Troup, Judge of the Probate Court of Morgan County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time allowed by the law, or that the same will be barred.
MRS. MARTHA RASCH.
F 22 M 1-8. Adm.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of the dissolution of Weber & Block, which becomes effective this date, Feb. 23, 1917. Mr. Block assumes all indebtedness and will collect all accounts.
M. WEBER.
J. BLOCK.
F 22 M 2-9.

JUST THE RUINS OF A GERMAN TRENCH



British official photograph taken on the western front. The ruins look a great deal like the ribs of an extinct mastodon, but are nothing but the remains of a German trench. The trenches were constructed similar to the railroad subways with which the American people are familiar.

FARMER TO PROFIT BY NEW LOAN ACT

Measure Designed to Give Him
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at Low Rate.

BIG BANK SYSTEM CREATED

Borrowers to Form Local Associations
and Share in Earnings From the
Operation of the Plan.

The farmers of the United States are to be the chief beneficiaries of the Federal Farm Loan Act, through which Uncle Sam is enabled, by means of a rural credit system, to assist agriculturists to borrow money at low rates of interest for the purpose of buying and improving land.

This act, which is now a law, is the result of years of agitation and study. It is designed not only to enable farmers to borrow money at a low rate of interest but to make it possible for them to secure these loans for relatively long periods of time and on such conditions that loans can be repaid in annual or semiannual installments which will be less in many cases than the interest that they are now required to pay on similar loans.

To attain this object, two farm-mortgage systems are provided: First, a system operating through joint-stock land banks.

To attract money to the farm loan field, the act provides a method whereby those who have money to lend can find safe investments in the form of debentures or bonds, of small and large denominations, issued by the banks and based on the security of mortgages on farm lands.

These two systems are to be under the general supervision of a Federal Farm Loan board in the treasury department, composed of the secretary of the treasury, as chairman ex-officio and four members appointed by the president. This board has authority to appoint appraisers, examiners, and registrars, who will be public officials.

Federal Land Bank System.

Under the federal land bank system the act provides for federal land banks which make loans, for the first 12 months, exclusively through local national farm loan associations composed of borrowers. These associations shall be shareholders in the banks and in that way the members who are the borrowers, will share in the profits of the bank. The money for the loans is to come partly from the capital of the banks and partly from the sale by the banks of bonds secured by first mortgages on farm lands. The act defines strictly the purposes for, and the conditions under, which loans are to be made, and requires that the rate of interest charged shall not exceed 6 per cent per annum.

The United States shall be divided into 12 farm-loan districts, and a federal land bank with a subscribed capital of not less than \$750,000, each share \$5, shall be established in each district. Each federal land bank may establish branches in its district. Within 30 days after the capital stock is offered for sale it may be purchased at par by anyone. Thereafter, the stock remaining unsold shall be bought by the secretary of the treasury for the United States. It is provided, however, that the government shall not receive any dividends on its stock. Ultimately, it is intended that all the stock in the banks shall be owned by the associations of borrowers, and provision, therefore, is made in the law for transferring the original stock at par to these associations.

Farm Loan Associations.

The act provides for the creation of local national farm loan associations through which it is contemplated that the federal land banks shall make their loans. In the event that a local loan association is not formed in any locality within a year, the Federal Farm Loan board may authorize a federal land bank to make loans on farm land through approved agents. Ten or more persons who own and cultivate farm land qualified as security for a mortgage loan under the act, or who are about to own and cultivate such land, may form such an association, provided the aggregate of the loans desired by the membership is not less than \$20,000. Each member must take stock in his association to an amount equivalent to 5 per cent of the amount he wishes to borrow. This stock the association holds in trust as security for the member's individual loan. The association, in turn, when applying for money from the bank, must subscribe for stock in the bank to an amount equivalent to 5 per cent of the sum it wants to obtain for its members. This stock is held in trust by the bank as security for the loans it makes through the association. If a prospective borrower has no money with which to pay for his association stock, he may borrow the price of that stock as a part of the loan on his farm land.

Under this plan, then, every borrower must be a stockholder in his local association, and every association a stockholder in its district bank. Each stockholder in an association is liable for the acts of that association up to twice the amount of his stock. A member of a national farm loan association, before obtaining a loan, must

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WOMEN PREPARING FOR WAR



Five hundred women, members of the Women's League for Self Defense, meet regularly in one of the armories of New York city and are drilled for military service by army officers. One of them is here seen learning the use of the rifle.

first fill out an application blank supplied to the loan association by the Federal Farm Loan board. This application blank and other necessary papers will then be referred to a loan committee of the association which must appraise the property offered as security. Such application as is approved by the loan committee is then forwarded to the Federal land bank and must be investigated and reported on by a salaried appraiser of the bank before the loan is granted. This appraiser is required to investigate the solvency and character of the prospective borrower as well as the value of his land. When a loan is granted the amount is forwarded to the borrower through the loan association.

Conditions Are Imposed.

The act specifically defines the purposes for which loans may be obtained. These are:

"(a) To provide for the purchase of land for agricultural uses.

"(b) To provide for the purchase of equipment, fertilizers and live stock necessary for the proper and reasonable operation of the mortgaged farm; the term 'equipment' to be defined by the Federal Farm Loan board.

"(c) To provide buildings and for the improvement of farm lands; the term 'improvement' to be defined by the Federal Farm Loan board.

"(d) To liquidate indebtedness of the owner of the land mortgaged, existing at the time of the organization of the first national farm loan association established in or for the county in which the land mortgaged is situated, or indebtedness subsequently incurred for one of the purposes mentioned in this section."

Loans may be made only on first mortgages on farm land.

Only those who own and cultivate farm land or are about to own and cultivate such land are entitled to borrow.

No individual can borrow more than \$10,000 or less than \$100.

No loan may be made for more than 50 per cent of the value of the land mortgaged and 20 per cent of the value of the permanent insured improvements upon it.

The loan must run for not less than five and not more than forty years.

Every mortgage must provide for the repayment of the loan under an amortization plan by means of a fixed number of annual or semiannual installments sufficient to meet all interest and pay off the debt by the end of the term of the loan. The installments required will be those published in amortization tables to be prepared by the Farm Loan board.

The bank is given power to protect itself in case of default by recalling the loan in whole or in part or taking other necessary action.

Interest Rate Restricted.

No federal land bank is permitted to charge more than 6 per cent per annum on its farm mortgage loans, and in no case shall the interest charged on farm mortgages exceed by more than 1 per cent the rate paid on the last issue of bonds.

For example, if the bank pays only 4 per cent on an issue of bonds, it cannot charge more than 5 per cent for the next farm loans it makes.

Out of this margin of not to exceed 1 per cent, together with such amounts as it can earn on its paid-in cash capital, the bank must set aside certain reserves and meet all its expenses. Any balance or net profits can be distributed as dividends to the loan associations or other stockholders. The loan associations, from their bank-dividends, after setting aside the required reserves and meeting expenses, can declare association dividends to their members. In this way the profits, if any, will be distributed among the borrowers and will, to that extent, reduce the amount of interest actually paid by them.

The federal land banks are specifically prohibited from charging in connection with making a loan, any fees or commission which are not authorized by the Farm Loan board. The authorized fees need not be paid in advance but may be made part of the loan.

Burning Gas in Teakettles.

Spanish peasants living in the cork region use home-made gas obtained from cork refuse. As described by one authority, the process consists in filling several large teakettles with the waste bark and placing each in turn over the fire during the evening, burning the volatile gas as it escapes from the spouts. The carbonic residue forms the fine black-brown pigment known to commerce as "Spanish brown."

Misery in Back, Headache and Pain in Limbs.

Dear Mr. Editor—For more than a year I suffered with misery in the back, dull headache, pain in the limbs, was somewhat constipated and slept poorly at night until I was about ready to collapse. Seeing an account of the wonderful qualities of "Annie," prepared by Doctor Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., I sent for a box and before using the whole box I felt and still feel improved. My sleep is refreshing, misery reduced, and life is not the drag it was before. I most cheerfully recommend this remedy to sufferers from like ailments.
Yours truly, W. A. ROBERTS.

NOTE: You've all undoubtedly heard of the famous Dr. Pierce and his well-known medicines. Well, this prescription is one that has been successfully used for many years by the physicians and specialists of Dr. Pierce's Invalid Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., for kidney complaints, and diseases arising from disorders of the kidneys and bladder, such as backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, congestion of the kidneys, inflammation of the bladder, scalding urine, and urinary troubles.

Up to this time, "Annie" has not been on sale to the public, but by the persuasion of many patients and the increased demand for this wonderful healing Tablet, Dr. Pierce has finally decided to put it into the drug stores of this country within in reach of all sufferers.

I know of one or two leading druggists in town who have managed to procure a supply of "Annie" for their anxious customers in an around this locality. If not obtainable send one dime by mail to Dr. Pierce for trial package or 50 cents for full treatment.

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A well-known physician says in the American Magazine: "To avoid over-eating and alcohol and the cigarette habit are matters of self-control. To get the sleep one needs (which means all that one can possibly soak into one's system within 24 hours) often takes courage—the courage to refuse invitations, to invite ridicule, to seem odd or 'Puritanic.' I believe that more minor illnesses are due to lack of sleep than to any other recognizable factor. A person catches cold, gets humbug, is constipated or headache ridden because his vitality is below par, his physical expenditure beyond his physical income. Sleep would set him square with the world, but to get sleep means sacrificing the evening's fun. This he won't do, and so he runs in debt and is chronically edging toward a breakdown."

England, Ireland and the Pope.

In the twelfth century Pope Adrian IV, the only Englishman that ever occupied the papal chair, granted the hereditary lordship of Ireland to Henry II of England. In 1172 Henry II visited Ireland in person, and the clergy and great princes acknowledged his supremacy and became recognized "Lords of Ireland." In 1177 John, the youngest son of Henry II, was granted this lordship, but his authority was only nominal, and he left the government to John d'Courcy, a member of a celebrated Norman family of Oxfordshire and Somersetshire, and whose pure lineage was entirely unknown. In 1210 John visited Ireland, but in 1213 resigned the kingdom to the Pope, and for a second time the papal claim to Ireland was formally recorded.

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The famous hunter song with Nelson Riley and male chorus in Victor Herbert's musical play, "The Princess Pat," which will be presented at the Masonic Thursday, March 8.

TENNESSEE RIVER RISES RAPIDLY AS RAIN FALLS OVER THE ENTIRE SOUTH

CREEKS IN MORGAN COUNTY ARE
SWELLED AND OVERFLOW ON
SOMERVILLE PIKE. PASSAGE
OVER ROAD DIFFICULT.

ROAD IN BAD CONDITION

SEVERAL STREETS IN ALBANY
AND DECATUR FLOODED BY
THE STEADY DOWNPOUR OF
NIGHT AND DAY.

The Tennessee river continued to rise steadily today as a result of the heavy rainfall over its entire valley. All creeks emptying into it are reported as very high and rising rapidly as water pours in from the highlands.

A number of roads leading from Albany and Decatur are threatened with overflows, advices reaching here today stated, while the Somerville pike already is overflowed by back-water from Flint creek. Passage is becoming difficult and if the rain does not cease soon, boats will be the only means of crossing the section about a mile and a half this side of the Flint creek bridge. Nearly every season in February that part of the pike is inundated and several years ago during a particularly wet season, men working in the local Louisville & Nashville shops were forced to use canoes to come across.

Streets Flooded, Too.

Several streets in Albany and Decatur were flooded early this morning. Mrs. A. H. Irons, local weather observer for the government, announced today that a rainfall of 1.6 had been recorded up to 7 o'clock, when the daily readings are made. She estimated that it had reached at least two inches at noon. Heavy rain falls are reported also up and down the Tennessee river, at Bridgeport, Chattanooga and Guntersville, though none were as heavy as here.

The large storm sewer at the intersection of Lee and Ferry streets and Second avenue was taxed to its capacity this morning to care for the drainage. At one time water stood nearly two feet deep at the switch track on Second avenue.

The following readings were recorded at the various government stations on the Tennessee river today: Chattanooga—River, 17.1; rain 8.8. Bridgeport—River, 19.7; rain 1.55. Guntersville—River, 17.7; rain 7.0. Rise Friday night.

Enamel Ware Sale Announced Today

Crow & Crow today announced the opening of a sale of enamelware Saturday at 10 a. m., which is expected to be of unusual interest to housewives of Albany and Decatur. Seven hundred pieces will be sold at ten cents each.

Sinking Of Laconia Causes German Flurry

(International News Service.) Amsterdam, March 1.—A hurried conference was held at the German foreign office following receipt of word that American lives were lost in the sinking of the Laconia, according to advices reaching here.

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CELEBRATE PURIM ON MARCH EIGHTH

IS ONE OF THE MINOR HOLIDAYS
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Purim, which this year will be celebrated Thursday, March 8th, beginning, however, on Wednesday evening the 7th, is one of the minor holidays of the Jewish calendar. It commemorates the deliverance of the Jews of Persia from the power of Haman, the vizier of King Ahasuerus. Haman had cast lots (hence the name "Purim," which means "lots") to determine which month was to be so for the massacre of all the Jews in Persia. Mordecai and his niece Esther becoming aware of the plot succeeded in deposing Haman and in obtaining royal permission for the Jews to attack and master their enemies on the 13th and 14th of Adar. The deliverance of the Jews from the threat of annihilation and their victory over their enemies have ever after been celebrated as the Feast of Purim.

The Feast of Purim never attained as high a degree of spiritual influence as did some of the other festivals. The usual Psalms of praise read on other holidays are omitted on Purim. The one characteristic of the Purim ritual is the reading of the Book of Esther on the evening of the thirteenth day of Adar.

As a folk celebration, Purim made up for whatever influence it may have lacked as a religious festival. It was celebrated as a carnival; masks were worn by old and young; Purim plays were given re-enacting the drama of Esther and Haman. In addition to this merry celebration of Purim there arose the custom of giving gifts to the poor. Every Jew, no matter how poor, would give something to someone more needy than himself. And so the day of popular rejoicing was touched with the elevating spirit of benevolence.

Millneium In Few Days, Kansan Expects

Topeka, Kan., March 1.—Because Charles Winston believes the millennium is at hand he has sold his farm, a property worth \$5,000, for half its value. According to his neighbors, Winston believes those worthy in the sight of the Lord will not be in need of worldly goods after March 1. He believes the verses of the Bible: "When the world is at war or on the verge of war," applies to the present crisis.

"I will explain the whole thing in a lecture in a short time," said Winston. "I do not believe it is the end of the world. The second coming of Christ is not looked upon by anyone as the end of the world."

Winston's "ad" read: "Knowing positively that Christ soon will return to the earth, and that those of us who have been placed on the honor roll will be allowed to return with Him to our former home, I will sell to the highest bidder the following described tract of land and improvements. Former price of property was \$5,000."

A description of his seventy-acre tract followed.

When the Tongue Is Coated.

Time was when a coated tongue was associated only with impaired digestive organs, but science has now found that many other things beside digestive troubles may produce marked changes in the appearance of the tongue. If the base of the skull is fractured, the tongue will acquire a heavy coating. This fact leads to the belief that various disturbances of the nerves affect the appearance of the tongue. Therefore, if your tongue is furred, don't jump to the conclusion that your stomach is upset; it is just as likely that your nerves are upset by overwork, eye-strain, lack of sleep or the multitude of other causes that affect the nerves.

5 SHOT IN BACK, KILLS ASSAILANT

Nashville, March 1.—Will Hoffstetter, a farmer from near the Hermitage, after being shot through the back by Ervil G. Tompkins, just outside the first circuit court room at the county court house here early Wednesday, turned on his assailant, drew a small pocket knife and cut and stabbed Tompkins to death. Hoffstetter is at the city hospital in a serious condition from his wound. Tompkins fired three shots. One bullet went through Hoffstetter's body, a second penetrated the leg of Mrs. W. A. Bevington, a bystander, and the third cut the facing on the door of the circuit court clerk's room.

James Hoffstetter, a brother of Will Hoffstetter, went to his brother's rescue and was cut on the wrist by his brother's knife. The wound is a minor one.

The ill feeling which caused the fight grew out of a divorce suit which Mrs. Tompkins won against her husband in December, 1915. Tompkins charged that James and Will Hoffstetter and their sister, Miss Emma Hoffstetter, for whom his wife had sewed, had alienated his wife's affections and brought suit against all three of them for \$50,000 damages.

Tompkins was very bitter against the Hoffstetters, it is said.

On Monday Tompkins' two attorneys, Judge John T. Allen and J. W. T. Washington, withdrew from the case. The suit was postponed yesterday at 3 o'clock until the next term of court. Will and James Hoffstetter then left the court room to get their overcoats from the clerk's office.

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BANK IS LOOTED; MAYOR IS KILLED; MONEY IS FOUND

MONROE, LOUISIANA, STIRRED BY
CRIME THAT COST LIFE OF
ONE MAN, MAY LYNCH.

Monroe, La., March 1.—In a running fight between a posse and two bandits who had robbed the bank of Collinston, La., at noon Wednesday, H. W. Vaughn, mayor of Collinston, was shot and killed. One of the bandits, who was shot and slightly wounded during the fight, was captured and rushed to the Moorehouse parish jail at Bastrop, where he was placed under a guard to prevent threatened violence. A sack containing about \$2,000, which one of the robbers had taken from the bank, was dropped by the robbers and recovered. Collinston is 20 miles north of here.

Vaughn was killed, according to the authorities, after the capture of bandit and during an exchange of shots between the second bandit and the mayor. Vaughn, it was stated, was mounted on a fast horse, and was far ahead of the other members of the posse. The horse on which the robber was mounted was shot and Vaughn dismounted when his pistol missed fire. The robber, the authorities stated, rushed close to Vaughn and shot him dead. He then secured Vaughn's horse and escaped. Most of the mounted members of the original posse at the time of the battle between the mayor and the second robber were taking the captured bandit to Bastrop.

J. C. Carter, cashier of the Bank of Collinston and a negro were alone shortly before noon when two men entered the bank.

Carter was forced to lie on the floor in a corner while one of the men placed all the money he could find, including nickels and dimes in a sack. Both men then rushed to where several horses were hitched in front of a school house, mounted and rode toward a swamp several miles from town. The alarm was quickly spread by the cashier, however, and before the men were out of sight a posse had been formed and was in chase.

More Licenses Are Collected This Year

Taxes, However, Being Paid Slowly
Into Coffers of Albany.

More licenses have been collected by the city of Albany up to March 1 this year, probably than in several years past, City Clerk Henry Harting stated today. He has not finished checking the totals, but said the collections lately have been heavy.

Taxes, however, are not being paid with near so much rapidity. There are large outstanding accounts against citizens, he declared, and it is probable that the city council will take further action toward collecting them.

38 days 'til Easter. Get measured now. Speake & Moebes, "International"

PLOT SHOWS KAISER ANIMUS

(Continued from Page One.) and suggest that the president of Mexico, on his own initiative, should communicate with Japan suggesting adherence at once to this plan; at the same time, offer to mediate between Germany and Japan.

"Please call to the attention of the president of Mexico that the employment of ruthless submarine warfare now promises to compel England to make peace in a few months."

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ROCHESTER HAS REACHED FRANCE

(International News Service.) New York, March 1.—The American steamer Rochester, one of the first American steamers to brave the dangers of the barred zone, arrived at Bordeaux yesterday.

(International News Service.) Berlin, March 1.—Warning that because the American freighter Orleans passed safely through the barred zone American owners must not believe their vessels immune from attack, was sounded here today. Newspapers quote Secretary Zimmermann as declaring that neutral ships will be sunk if they enter the blockaded area.

AMUSEMENTS

"THE FALL OF A NATION."

The Masonic theatre will present the sequel to "The Birth of a Nation," by Thomas Dixon, "The Fall of a Nation," next Monday and Tuesday.

A magnificent spectacle in which the most popular author and the most eminent composer in America collaborated will be seen in "The Fall of a Nation," at the Masonic on Monday and Tuesday.

Thomas Dixon, author of "The Clansman," "The Birth of a Nation," and other famous works, wrote and directed the film, whilst delightful and entertaining Victor Herbert composed the music.

The result of their joint efforts is a grand opera cinema that presents in a big, epoch-making way the origin and destiny of the American republic. No other picture equals its truly wonderful depiction of Twentieth century war. Withal the love story is a fascinating one, the comedy episodes are thoroughly amusing, and the acting will satisfy the most exacting lovers of sterling dramatic art.

No Money To Probe High Living Cost

Washington, March 1.—The Senate this afternoon cut out the \$40,000 appropriation contained in the standard civil bill and providing for an investigation of the high cost of food.

Canny Farmer Held Responsible For High Cost Capital Living

(International News Service.)

Washington, March 1.—The canny farmer is responsible for the present high cost of living, according to data gathered by the federal trade commission in a preliminary investigation of food conditions in the District of Columbia.

"We discover," said one of the commissioners, "that Washington lives from hand to mouth insofar as its supply of vegetables is concerned. The farmer knows prices as well as the commission men and when he sees a rising market, sells his products in dribbles, waiting a higher price. Accordingly, he has been ceding the local market only what he needed in a systematic effort to keep prices up."

Luncheon Is Planned For Dr. W. A. Brown

Business Men Will Entertain Noted
Churchman at the Lyons Hotel.

A luncheon will be given by the business men of Albany and Decatur to Dr. William A. Brown, noted Sunday school expert of Chicago, at the Lyons hotel Friday, from 12 to 1 o'clock. Dr. Brown will deliver an address here on "Missions in Latin America," to the missionary societies of the two cities. The public has been invited.

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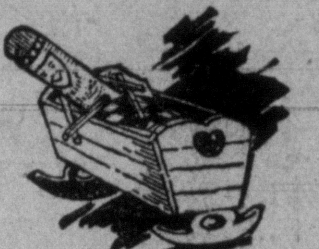
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